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[X] Applicant claims small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27.

Enclosed are:

- [X] Specification, Claim(s), and Abstract (23 pages).
- [X] Informal drawings (5 sheets, Figures 1-7C).
- [X] Declaration and Power of Attorney (4 pages).
- [X] Assignment of the invention to DCI Marketing, Inc (2 pages).
- [X] Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet.

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- ☐ Request for application not to be published with certification under 35 USC 122(b)(2)(B)(i).
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- ☒ Form PTO-SB/08 with copies of 3 listed reference(s).
- ☐ Application Data Sheet (37 CFR 1.76).

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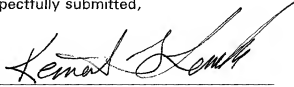
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